

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m. by President John Ross in the Ravalli Room of the Lodge. The minutes were approved as written.

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Leadership Camp is May 5 through 7. The chairman requested that Central Board send the President and from one to four members. The elections are next Tuesday; therefore, there will be a meeting Tuesday at 9:30 p.m. to approve the election results. There will be a special meeting on Friday at 3:00 p.m. to approve the petitions for the election. The regular meeting will be held on Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. The MSPA Convention will be here on April 30. Ross urged all delegates and applicants to participate.

#### VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

ASSELSTINE MOVED TO ACCEPT JIM LUDWIG, PAUL STUCKENSCHNEIDER, MARK BRYAN, FRED WARDINSKY, AND JOHN BARROWS AS MEMBER OF PROGRAM COUNCIL. SECONDED BY COSMAN. MOTION PASSED WITH WALDRON AND CROMWELL ABSTAINING. ASSELSTINE MOVED TO ACCEPT NORM CLARK AS A MEMBER OF BUDGET AND FINANCE. SECONDED BY COSMAN. MOTION PASSED WITH CROMWELL AND WALDRON ABSTAINING.

#### BUDGET AND FINANCE

WENDTE MOVED TO ALLOCATE \$120 TO TRADITIONS BOARD FOR THE INTERSCHOLASTICS QUEEN CONTEST. SECONDED BY COSMAN. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY. WENDTE MOVED TO FREEZE THE BUDGET OF TRADITIONS BOARD. SECONDED BY ANDERSON. Wendte said that the committee was overdrawn \$1,025. He would like to get a report from Fullerton. Davis pointed out that \$600 was lost on Parent's Day. MOTION PASSED WITH LANMAN AND CROMWELL ABSTAINING. WENDTE MOVED THAT CENTRAL BOARD SEND A LETTER TO HAL FULLERTON WITH A CARBON COPY TO MCGINNIS THAT NO ASUM FUNDS ARE TO BE USED TO SEND MEN FROM DEBATE AND ORATORY TO ENGLAND AND TO FREEZE THE BALANCE OF DEBATE AND ORATORY AND HAVE THEM APPEAR BEFORE BUDGET AND FINANCE IF THEY WANT TO USE ANY MONEY THE REST OF THIS YEAR. SECONDED BY ANDERSON. Cromwell wanted to know if there was enough money in their account to take these men to England. Wendte said yes. MOTION PASSED WITH KITZENBERG AND BEHAN ABSTAINING. Wendte said the budget would be presented next week.

#### MSPA

Haarr said that Weber and Morton will lead the discussion on student publications. Skemp and Thompson will lead the group on student life and Davis will lead a discussion on proposals that could be taken before the Board of Regents. A letter is going out tomorrow with a tentative schedule. There will be a Prayer Breakfast Sunday morning. Haarr said that Rorvik was not asked to speak because he would be defeating the purpose; there would not be enough discussion that way.

#### PUBLICATIONS BOARD

COSMAN MOVED THAT CENTRAL BOARD ACCEPT MAREEN JACOBS AS SENTINEL EDITOR AND WAIVE THE BYLAWS. SECONDED BY BEHAN. Cosman said she has a 2.09 and the bylaws require a 2.5. MOTION PASSED WITH CROMWELL, HAARR, LANMAN, AND MORROW ABSTAINING. COSMAN MOVED THAT CENTRAL BOARD ACCEPT RAENELLE MAXWELL AS BUSINESS MANAGER OF THE SENTINEL SECONDED BY TATE. MOTION PASSED WITH CROMWELL AND MORROW ABSTAINING.

#### PLANNING BOARD

Behan wanted to have tentative approval to continue investigating the possibility of hiring a student auditor. He would supply Central Board with a monthly report. It would be his responsibility to see that the money is being spent the way Central Board allocates it. Davis said that he felt a firm should be hired rather than an individual person. They would submit a monthly report and advise Central Board.

Behan said the auditor now is paid by the University rather than Central Board. This person would be paid directly from activity fees. Cromwell wanted to know if there would be tighter control and if he would also control the purpose for which the money is being spent. Davis said that the budget lists what the money is to be spent for and if it is being spent for something else, the bills will not be paid. Ross recommended that Planning Board continue studying this proposal. BEHAN MOVED THAT A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT BE PLACED ON THE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT WHICH WOULD AMEND ARTICLE XI, SECTION 3 OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL BY DELETING "NO INCUMBENT OF ANY OFFICIAL POSITION OF THE ASSOCIATION SHALL RECEIVE ANY SALARY OR COMPENSATION BY VIRTUE OF THAT POSITION, EXCEPT FOR" AND TO ADD "THERE SHALL BE" BEFORE "ASUM SCHOLARSHIPS." SECONDED BY TATE. Behan said that this was referred to Planning Board last week. The committee felt that fines could be imposed on people who missed meetings or there could be a reduction in salary. Waldron said this would be putting the power in the bylaws to permit any Central Board to raise their salary for that term. Behan said that stipulations could be put in the bylaws. Kitzenberg said he was definitely against this proposal. He felt the students would pay more for their campaigns because they would get reimbursed. Wendte felt this should be left up to the students. Carroll said it would make it worthwhile for the students to spend more of their time in student government. The quality of the students is not the question. Kitzenberg said that he felt the students would put on a big show. Davis said if a person got elected only by the show, it was a pretty poor reason to get elected. Waldron wanted to know if the committee had any information on the effect of salaried student body positions on other campuses and if the problem is one of cost of a campaign, maybe Central Board could subsidize part of the campaign. MOTION PASSED WITH WALDRON AND KITZENBERG OPPOSED AND MORROW ABSTAINING. As a point of information Cromwell thought that Central Board was acting on a motion to amend a motion. Wendte said he thought the motion and the amendment was referred to Planning Board. Ross said that it was his understanding that both the motion and the amendment were referred to Planning Board.

#### ELECTIONS COMMITTEE

Lanman said the deadlines for petitions have been extended until Friday noon. There will be house tours Monday night. Anderson wanted to know if the required 30 per cent was not received in the primary if the same amendments could be placed on the general election ballot. Waldron wanted to know if they could be readvertised as necessary in the Kaimin. Ross said that perhaps they could be advertised now in such a way that if they were defeated they could be put on the general election ballot. Lanman said that the committee was considering the possibility of putting up more booths. Davis is going to speak on the commissioner system and Lanman wanted to know if someone who was against the system had to be allowed equal time in which to speak. Ross said he would check into it.

#### OLD BUSINESS

O'Laughlin said that Traditions Board wanted Central Board to include songleaders on the yell staff. TATE MOVED TO REFER THIS TO PLANNING BOARD FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION. MOTION FAILED FOR LACK OF A SECOND. Schwanke said that Traditions Board decided to change the bylaws because the committee felt that it had been railroaded through last quarter. The committee realized that they didn't really discuss it before. COSMAN MOVED TO ADD "SONGLEADER" TO SECTION 1, ARTICLE X OF THE BYLAWS AND TO DELETE "OF 7 CHEERLEADERS" AND ADD "OF 5 CHEERLEADERS AND 6 SONGLEADERS," TO SECTION 4, ARTICLE X. SECONDED BY LANMAN. O'Laughlin said the songleaders would only be for entertainment. They will practice from 7 to 10 hours a week and if they missed two practices unexcused they would have to appear before either Central Board or Traditions Board. MOTION PASSED WITH CROMWELL, WENDTE, LINK, AND MORROW ABSTAINING.



NEW BUSINESS

Snyder said that Model UN was leaving Monday so they would not be here when the budget was discussed. They did not feel they could raise the necessary money if they were put on a matching funds basis. Wendte said ASUM would give up to \$1,000. They would give \$2 for each \$1 deposited by MUN. Snyder said they could not raise \$500. Ross said that we were not discussing budgetary policy; this organization was just giving their views. Coon said this institution is attended by colleges throughout the United States. If this organization could not raise the money and had to cancel their participation, it would be too bad. He pointed out that the downtown United Nations organization only clears about \$30 a year. Davis said the committee felt that some of the departments MUN benefited could put up some money. Carroll said it costs \$120 per person to go. Central Board will put up \$90 if the organization will put up \$30 per person. He said they could sponsor dances to raise the money. MUN is only a small segment of the entire student body. Ross said he would recognize only more compliants from members of MUN. Central Board is not discussing budgetary policy tonight. Snyder said that if the students had to pay part themselves, there would be a lower quality of participation. Price said that definite intrinsic values had to be established. He said if these organizations had to put on dances and car washes for money, it would be the organizations that put on the best ones that survived. He was against the whole idea of matching funds. Ross said that this was just a preview of the debate that would arise over the budget next week. This is the work that has come out of Budget and Finance and Fiscal Policy Committee. Wendte said he would take with Pantzer about drawing up a new contract for the golf course during the first week of May. Wendte suggested that the University Theater be used for the meeting next week.

LEADERSHIP CAMP

Davis said that it has been a policy in the past to have both the old and new Central Board members to attend plus the committee chairmen. Ross said that the chairman has requested that only 1 to 4 members besides the President attend. Carroll said that one of the purposes of establishing this was to get the leaders there and that old and new Central Board members have been invited. Ross said that he would talk with JoAnn Hacker about it.

ASSELSTINE MOVED FOR ADJOURNMENT. SECONDED BY WENDTE. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

PRESENT: ANDERSON, ASSELSTINE, BEHAN, COSMAN, CROMWELL, HAARR, KITZENBERG, LANMAN, LINK, MORROW, ROSS, WALDRON, WENDTE, MOORE, TATE, Leary, Schwanke, O'Laughlin, Eggensperger, Ottenbreit, Carroll

ABSENT: MAXSON, STOCKAMP

Respectfully submitted,

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